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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Laurence HONARVAR

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Group Art Unit: 3627

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For: SIMULTANEOUS CUSTOMER/ACCOUNT STRATEGY EXECUTION IN A DECISION

MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:
This is in response to the Office Action mailed August 13, 2002, and having a period for response set to expire on November 13, 2002.

Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested. The following remarks are respectfully submitted.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please CANCEL claims 38-47, without prejudice or disclaimer. Please AMEND the claims as indicated below:

1. (THREE TIMES AMENDED) A computer-implemented decision management process for evaluating a customer of an organization having more than one account, comprising:

loading all customer and account data required for evaluating the customer and each of the accounts;

evaluating the customer and each of the accounts via an iterative function which uses the loaded customer and account data, wherein said evaluating evaluates each account